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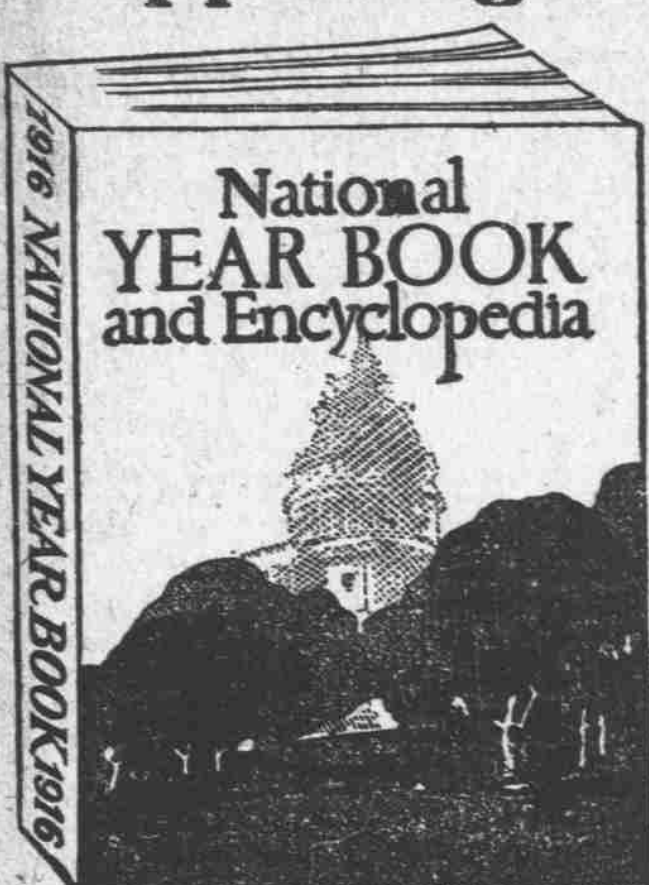
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WILKES COUNTY CANNING CLUB MAKES FINE REPORT.

Wilkesboro, Feb. 4.—Following is a report of the work done by the girls of Wilkes' Canning Club during the past year 1915:

Girls enrolled, 234; reporting, 200; total number pounds tomatoes reported, 224,160; number cans tin and glass, 49,940; number pounds vegetables sold fresh, 15,627; money value, \$5,204.77; cost, \$1,997.60; profits, \$3,207.17.

number of acres farmed 20; average profit per acre, \$160.35; largest yield made by girls, Ila McNeill, Wilkesboro, No. 1, 3,664 pounds; second largest, Maggie Carpenter, North Wilkesboro, R. F. D. No. 2, 3,146 pounds; third largest, Virgie Eller of Champion, 2,975 pounds; fourth largest, Elsie Burcham, Roaring River, 2,475 pounds. Many girls made over 2,000 pounds. Wilkes leads the State in number of girls enrolled; largest yield in number pounds on 1-10 acre; largest tomato grown in the State.

North State News

Mayor Sutton of Kinston is interested in the idea of securing the 1917 state firemen's convention for that city. It is proposed to make a bid for the big meeting, which is held annually in the summer.

Dr. Charles Edward Brewer was inaugurated president of Meredith college at Raleigh last Wednesday.

J. J. Farris has been confirmed as the new postmaster at High Point.

Mr. Caesar Cone of Greensboro, who has charge of the work in that territory of collecting funds for Jewish sufferers in the war zone of Europe, announces that he has already received \$2,769, and that funds are coming in rapidly.

The Allied Trades Council, the central labor organization for Wilmington, has started an extended movement to induce Wilmington people to spend their money at home. The labor people expect to enlist the support of all the commercial bodies and the individual men in creating a sentiment strong enough to clip the wings of the majority of the eagles on the dollars that heretofore have been cheerfully flitting away from the home town.

Hon. George H. Bellamy of Brunswick county, is quoted as saying that he is in no wise averse to being the next State auditor, though as yet he is not an avowed candidate.

More than \$30,000 passed into the hands of Wilmington's city tax collector January 31, the last day of grace it was announced.

Nash county is giving to her colored school children what few counties have so far apparently been able to provide for their white school children—medical school inspection. Dr. J. C. Braswell, whole time health officer for Nash county, has just completed his report which shows that many physical defects found among the colored children have already been remedied.

The Progressives of Wake county will join forces with the standpat Republicans in the coming county election.

Contractors commenced work last week on the new shops for the Norfolk Southern Rail company at Newbern. The new shops will be larger and more modern than those which went up in smoke and ashes a few months ago.

Mr. Louis D. Castlebury of Raleigh, died at the home of his daughter in that city last Wednesday as a result of injuries received Tuesday morning.

Luther Owen, young farmer living near Red Springs, was instantly killed at that place last week when his automobile collided with Dr. Roscoe McMillan's car which was standing before a residence at the time. Although the impact was such that Mr. Owen's neck was broken by the shock, neither car was damaged.

Mr. S. J. Busbee is the new warden for the state's prison, succeeding the late Thomas P. Sales, who died suddenly following a double electrocution last week. The first electrocution for the new warden will be on February 11 when Jim Cooper, the Rowan county negro, is to die in the electric chair for the murder of a negro woman in Salisbury. He will have a double electrocution March 3 when Samuel P. Christy and Ida Hall Warren are to die for the murder of G. J. Warden, husband of the condemned woman.

The last will and testament of H. T. Ham of Greensboro was filed for probate in the office of the clerk of superior court last week. One of the bequests is of \$1,000 to the Greensboro Young Women's Christian association, this to go to the building fund which is now in the hands of a trustee. A gift of \$1,000 is also made to the Barium Springs orphanage; a similar amount is bequeathed to the Presbyterian Church of the Covenant, of Greensboro; and \$500 is provided for Greensboro College for Women.

The eighteen-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Crotts, who live near Lexington, met sudden death last Wednesday morning when a shotgun in the hands of his five year old brother was accidentally discharged. The entire load took effect, tearing the top of the child's head completely away.

Reports reaching New Bern from all parts of Craven and adjoining counties are getting in readiness for the planting of their early crops and that they are looking forward to one of the most successful seasons in the history of the county.

In an interesting interview given out recently by Prof. J. W. Sears, farm demonstrator for Craven county and who is engaged in making a fight on the hog cholera epidemic in that county stated that it was his opinion that this epidemic was decreasing and that if the farmers would use the proper precaution, the disease would be entirely eradicated within the course of two or three months.

The Fourth National Bank of Fayetteville, capital \$100,000, deposits about \$500,000, failed last Wednesday. Its failure is said to be the result primarily of loose management and bad banking in the past, which new elements in its administration were unable to overcome.

Edward W. J. Proffitt, a New England business man, told the Kinston Chamber of Commerce last week that their section of North Carolina should manufacture toys for the entire country, and advised the chamber to get Northern capital interested. "Tell them that the scrap-wood that might go into toys is being burned, that factory sites are dirt cheap, that there is no complicated labor trouble and that

freight rates are remarkably low," he advised. Mr. Proffitt said his trip through North Carolina had been "just one series of revelations" to him.

Three tons of indigo dye are on their way to Durham for the Erwin Cotton Mills, from China, this unusual shipment having been recorded in the customs house at Wilmington. The dye came through Seattle, and is being re-shipped by rail.

Mrs. Zebulon Vance, president of the Newbern's Woman's Club, urges the co-operation of the clubwomen in a matter of vital interest to Newbern, this being the erection and operation of a public slaughter house and the employment of a meat and milk inspector. She pointed out the grave danger in which the city now stands and asks that the chamber of commerce assist in securing these improvements.

Four cotton mills owned by the Hope Manufacturing company at Hope Mills were sold to Rocky Mount interests last week. The amount involved aggregates approximately \$1,000,000. Reorganization is being perfected in the mills which employ 1,200 people. Operations will begin at an early date.

Gaston County's second county commencement will be held in Gastonia about April 1.

A model village is to be laid out and constructed at a new cotton mill to be built at Mount Holly. W. Otis Pratt, former city engineer of Gastonia will have charge of the work.

Gastonia has let the contract for 20 blocks of asphalt paving. Lloyd Ross formerly assistant engineer of Charlotte will oversee the work.

A "Ford peace ship" containing W. T. Britt and Arthur Shipp of Turkey, ran off the bridge over Six Runs and fell bottom up into river. The top was up and both gentlemen were buried under the car in about four feet of water. Mr. Shipp crawled out by way of depression that allowed him to escape; and, hearing his companion struggling under the car, went under the water and getting hold of Mr. Britt's hand pulled him out in an almost drowned condition. Neither was seriously hurt, but it was almost miraculous escape for both.

Sampson county has completed plans for an agricultural fair and will have its first exhibition next fall. A site has been selected and \$10,000 has already been raised to put the plant in order and more can be raised if needed.

William Taylor, young negro convict serving a term on the Wayne county roads and working under Troy

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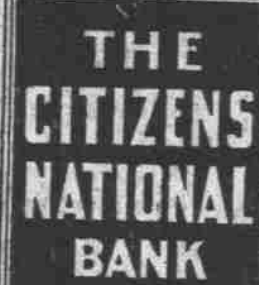
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Mount Gilead is soon to be lighted by electricity and supplied with electric power sufficient to operate considerable machinery. The Smithman Power company, a corporation recently chartered with an authorized capital of \$300,000 and with its head office at Troy will furnish the current. Troy is now using the service.

Rev. S. W. Mitchell, a retired minister, died at his home on Cedar street in Greensboro, last Wednesday. He was 85 years of age and a Confederate veteran. He served gallantly all through the Civil war as captain of Company H, 47th N. C. Regiment.

A bigger, better and debtless Y. M. C. A. campaign was launched in Durham last Wednesday night, when President W. L. Poteat of Wake Forest college spoke at a business men's banquet.

The American Tobacco company will erect a plant with exhaust system for the removal of tobacco dust, in Durham within the next few days. The system, including improvements to the humidifying plant, will cost \$60,000.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK.

No one is truly rich who has not wealth of love, wealth of sympathy, wealth of good will for men. No one knows what luxury is who has not enjoyed the luxury of doing good. No one has real happiness who has not the happiness of making others happy. —Selected.

FIVE MILLS HAVE AN OUTPUT OF A MILLION DOLLARS.

One Knit Goods Factory in This State Has Annual Output of Two Million.

Charlotte, Feb. 6.—As indicating the importance of the industries represented by the men attending the meeting of the knit goods manufacturers of the southern states here, Friday, President P. C. Withers asked that all present the output of whose factories exceeded a million dollars, raise their hands. Five responded. The response to "an output of two million," was one—a North Carolina manufacturer.

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